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The following is a list of troop units in the Fuerstenwalde area:

1. Armored Unit
250 officers; 2,000 enlisted men.
ca. 80 T-34 tanks;
some artillery of unspecified caliber.
Located in the Gartenstrasse Kaserne
Officers Club located at Mandel
Strasse 3. On 17 June 1953 this
unit moved into Berlin, returning
a few days later.
2. Small Air Force Unit
Possibly anti-aircraft; 10-15
officers and 60 enlisted men.
Located at Bad Saarow, 8 kilometers
south of Fuerstenwalde.
(light blue shoulder boards).
3. Russian Base and Shopping Center.
Located in former school on
Promenadenstrasse.
4. Kommandatura
20-25 officers, 60-100 enlisted men.
Located on Denkmalplatz.
5. Local MVD Unit (sub-unit of
Eberswalde MVD).
Located on Dr. Kuehntzstrasse.
This unit maintains liaison with
SSD chief from Potsdam, Otto Lehmann.
6. Small AA Unit
15 officers, 150 enlisted men. Anti-
aircraft guns parked under canvas.
Located at Fuerstenwalde/Hauen,
Hauenerstrasse. Maneuvers with
armored unit mentioned under
item 1.

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